

**Make a Beauty Box for Beach**

Beauty on the beach can be organized and colorful if you highlight your beach accessories with a beach beauty box. Cut a rectangular piece of material, conceal rollers and pins for quick after-swim pin-ups, and make-up supports to accentuate your make-up. Add a matching contrasting covering cut to size.

All you need is an empty cigar box, a purse-size mirror, and a roll of fabric. Partially cover the Marvalon backing side up, on a flat surface, just choose a yellow to match a yellow-flowered suit. Or a red or white, all you need is a compliment a white bathing suit. To make your beach beauty box

**Bedroom Furniture Has Comfort And Eye Appeal**

Choose a cigar box in good condition. Remove any loose paper clinging to the box. Select a roll of Marvalon adhesive covering in a solid color or pattern desired.

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For additional glamour, trim the beds that embody the most advanced ideas in patient care design and each bed is equipped with interlocking mattress. Nursing time and energy are saved by the height of the bed off the backing and apply. Make cuts at the corners and fold adhesive covering over the edges of the box with a matching or contrasting covering cut to size.

After adjustment, the patient may be easily raised or lowered the heaviest patient. At the lowest point the fabric height is 18" from the floor, a comfortable height for the patient to get in or out of the bed safely. The raised position brings the fabric height to 27" for easy examination or treatment of the patient.

Any position the patient may desire and each bed is equipped with interlocking mattress. Nursing time and energy are saved by the height of the bed off the backing and apply. Make cuts at the corners and fold adhesive covering over the edges of the box with a matching or contrasting covering cut to size.

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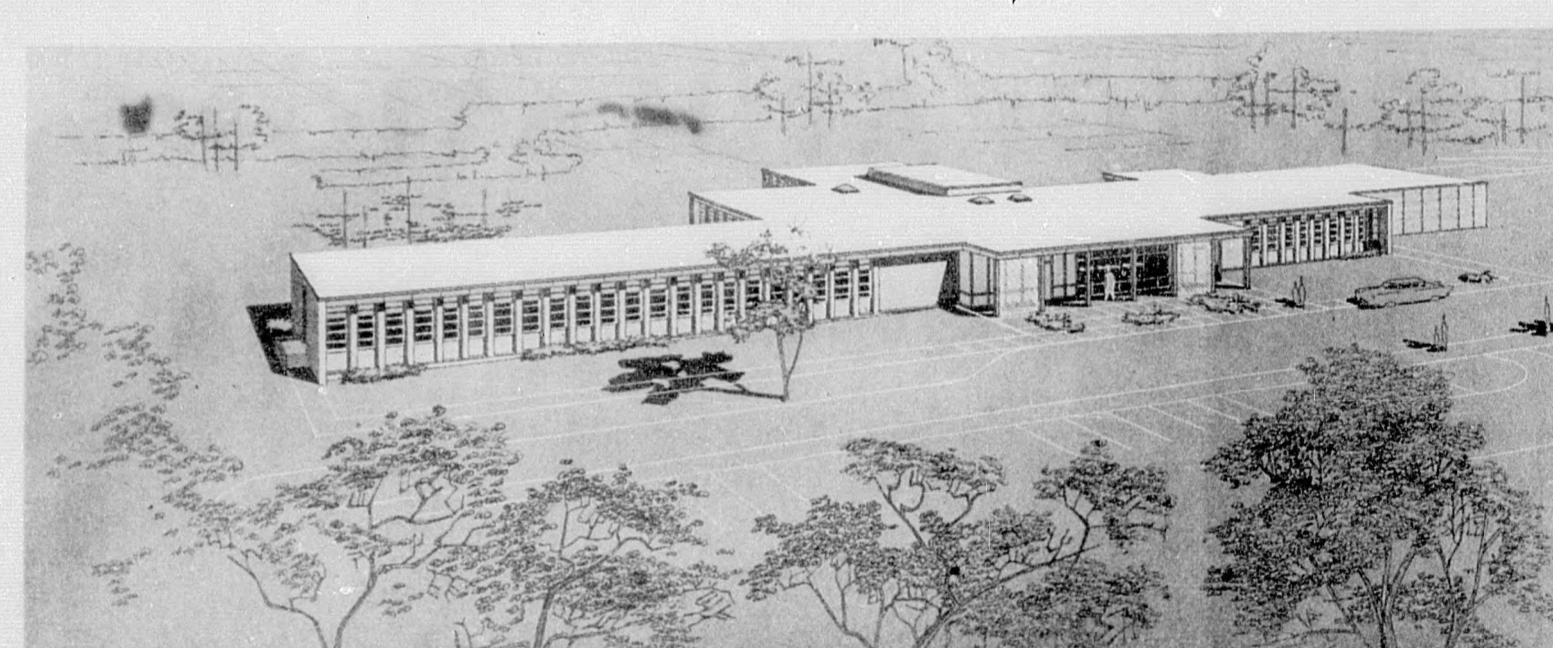
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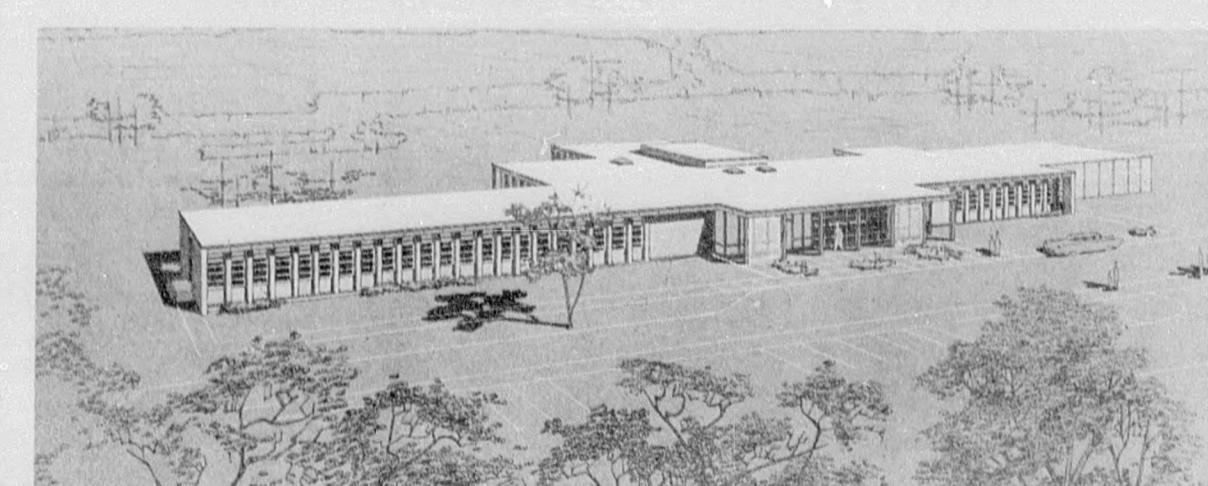
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**Elba General Hospital Dedication****Lamar Grimes Seriously Ill In Alaska**

**SENATOR LISTER HILL MAKES DEDICATION SPEECH ELBA GENERAL HOSPITAL**

SPRINGFIELD—Even though it rained, the crowds came for the dedication of the Elba General Hospital Sunday afternoon. The senator was introduced by Judge Eris Paul. In picture Senator Hill addresses the crowd from an outdoor platform in front of the hospital. 45 minutes later he was introduced by Senator Hill praised the residents of Elba for their efforts in obtaining the Elba General Hospital. He pointed out that Elba had good doctors in the past and that the hospital will be of great service to the people of Elba of having continued good medical care. He stated that it was glad that the Elba General Hospital was built under the Hill-Burton Act. (Other pictures and story next week.)

Prior to the Alaska transfer, Senator Hill was confined to his home town of Atmore where he has practiced medicine since April in this year.

With him in Alaska are his wife, Mrs. Grimes, and their two sons, Lynn and Glenn. Mr. Grimes attended his high school education since 1941.

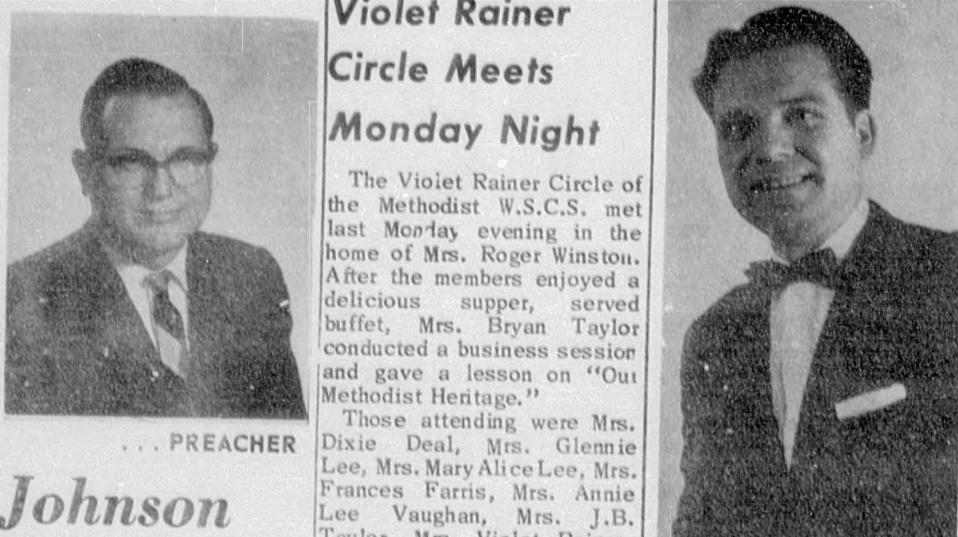
He is his son's coach in football, basketball, baseball, tennis, and swimming.

Mr. Grimes has been seriously ill with the same illness, but has recovered at that time.

Mr. Grimes is seriously ill in Alaska.

Mr. Grimes is

JOHNSON



**Johnson  
Preacher  
At Revival**

The annual revival at the Elba Methodist Church will begin with the morning worship service Sunday, August 11, and continue each evening, (Sunday-Thursday) at 7:30.

Guest preacher for the revival will be Rev. Ben C. Johnson. Reverend Johnson is a native of Elba and a member of the Alabama-West Florida Conference of the Methodist Church.

Johnson has preached regularly since his conversion at the age of seventeen. He is a graduate of Asbury Theological Seminary, Wilmot, Kentucky, where he received the Th.M. degree from Southern Baptist Theological Seminary, Louisville, Kentucky.

He has served as a pastor in Indiana and has for the past five years been pastor of the Seminole-Methodist Church, Phenix City, Alabama.

During his stay in Phenix City, Mr. Johnson began experiments with prayer and shaming groups. He has given special emphasis to the cultivation and development of prayer groups and persons who live within his own pastoral charge and in the communities in which he lived.

As a student pastorate in Indiana, while attending Asbury College and Asbury Seminary, one of the five churches on the charge he was serving became a full time assignment. For two years he served this church in Elizabeth, Indiana. The second year a weekly day of prayer was held with neighboring pastor's along with a cooperative youth program on Saturday nights, reaching from 150-250 youth each week.

This same year he received a Master of Divinity degree from Southern Baptist Seminary in Louisville, Kentucky.

In 1957 Mr. Johnson spent a year in evangelistic work. He became a member of the Alabama-West Florida Conference, the Methodist Church in 1958 and was appointed to the Summerville Church in Phenix City.

The last three years at Summerville were spent in the most important work, so far, of his ministry, the establishment of prayer and fellowship groups which meet weekly for prayer and shaming.

For the next two years Mr. Johnson will be engaged in study at Emory University working toward a Ph.D. in religion. In addition to his studies he will be the executive director of Spiritual Life Extension which has as its primary purpose the development of new ways to communicate the meaning and mission of the church in a technological age.

Mr. Johnson has written two booklets on the subject of prayer entitled "An Adventure In Prayer," and "An Adventure In Prayer Group."

During the week of the revival Reverend Ben Johnson and his family will be staying with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Johnson. Everyone is cordially invited to attend this revival.

"Sometimes you just can't win," was the remark of a certain young husband who had just become the father of a pretty little baby girl. "I sat in the waiting room, I kept praying for the new arrival to be healthy so he could grow up and help me with the housework."

He had just been eligible for death pension if

(a) The deceased veteran-husband had at least 90 days of service part of which was in a combat zone unless discharged for service-connected disability, or he was receiving or entitled to receive compensation or retirement pay for a wartime service

in a factory will buy nine quarts of milk compared to only 6 1/2 quarts in 1947-49.

**Violet Rainer  
Circle Meets  
Monday Night**

The Violet Rainer Circle of the Methodist Women's Society met last Monday evening in the home of Mrs. Roger Winston. After the members enjoyed a delicious supper, served by Mrs. Taylor, Mrs. Taylor conducted a business session and gave a lesson on "Our Methodist Heritage."

Those attending were Mrs. Roy Winston, Mrs. Cleo Lee, Mrs. Mary Alice Lee, Mrs. Frances Faris, Mrs. Anna Lee Vaughan, Mrs. J.B. Taylor, Mrs. Violet Rainer, Mrs. Eva Easter, Mrs. Priesscott, and the hostess.

**Revival  
Scheduled To  
Begin Aug. 23**

Revival services will be held at the Elba Methodist Church beginning Sunday, August 18, and continue through Friday, August 23.

Reverend Don Taylor will be the Reverend Don Taylor, formerly of Elba, now in Spartanburg, South Carolina.

Services will begin each evening at 7:30.

connected disability and, in all cases, had been discharged under conditions other than honorable.

(b) The widow has an annual income of not more than \$3,000, or for a minor child of a veteran not more than \$3,000). Pension is not payable if the widow has an estate so large that it is reasonable to look to the estate for support.

Widows without a child of the veteran may receive \$100 a month if their annual income is not more than \$600; or \$45 a month if their income is between \$1,000 and \$1,200. They may receive \$200 a month if their income is between \$1,000 and \$1,800 and, in keeping with the law, no payment of their income exceeds \$45.

If the widow has a child of the veteran she may receive \$75 a month if her annual income is not more than \$1,000; or \$60 a month if her income is between \$1,000 and \$2,000; or \$40 a month if her income is between \$2,000 and \$3,000. There is no limit to her income if she exceeds \$3,000.

If there is more than one child, the monthly payment will be increased by \$15 for each additional child.

Further information may be obtained at the VA Regional Office, 474 South Court Street, Montgomery.

**Livestock**

Transportation Risky  
During Hot Weather

Livestock conservation is anything and everything that eliminates animal losses due to death, injury or disease.

Auburn University livestock marketing specialist Doug Linton, warns that producers should haul livestock during the present hot weather may be ignoring livestock conservation.

Based on transportation per 100 head, about 4 cows, 15 calves and 20 hogs arrive at the market dead. The estimated national dead loss per farm to market is more than \$8 million a year.

Linton, an Extension Service staff member, advises producers to follow these steps during hauling:

Don't overcrowd livestock; clean the truck floor of manure and straw, and bed with clean straw; have the truck well ventilated and keep moving; don't take long coffee breaks; check the load after 15 miles, then after every 100 miles to be sure the livestock is comfortable.

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REVEREND DON TAYLOR



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**ATTEND THE CHURCH OF YOUR  
CHOICE SUNDAY**

**Rambling Roses  
and  
Flying Bricks**

By Earl Tucker

A fellow writing in the papers yesterday was complaining about all the "numbers" he has to remember—Social Security numbers, sales tax numbers, auto tag numbers, zone numbers, zip numbers, long distance telephone area code numbers, and a few more that I can't remember.

Of course, this new zip number has me worried again until I find out what all it does to speed up mail delivery a little and now that doesn't bother me a bit. What I do get is a bit of trouble in attempting to get to me too fast already, and the letters I write aren't too important anyway and a few days later I receive a post office document matter.

Each man is free to decide which hand will lead him. Some never see the Hand of God, and their way through life is barren and pointless.

But with the help of the Church, you can find the right path. By attending its services and joining in its work, your way through life can be made straight and happy. Take the Hand of God, and you need never fear stern Justice.

Well, I reckon it is bad on people who let others like that worry 'em. As for me, I don't even try to remember any of the numbers. I just get right down to it. I've got much reason for me to do this.

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## SOCIETY NEWS SECTION

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MISS MARGARET LYNETTE HUDSON  
ENGAGED

### Miss Hudson, Mr. Rhoades To Marry September 8

Mr. and Mrs. Giles Wesley Hudson, of Elba, announce the engagement of their daughter, Margaret Lynette, to Larry Edward Rhoades, son of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Vardeman Rhoades, of Kinston.

Grandparents of the bride-elect are the late Mr. Walter R. Heath and Mrs. Heath, of Opp, and the late Mr. and Mrs. William N. Hudson, of Elba.

Mr. Rhoades is a graduate of Elba High School and is employed as a teacher at Fort Royal.

The groom-to-be is the grandson of the late Mrs. Jesse Albert Whitman and Mrs. Whitman, of Elba, and the late Mr. Willis Rhoades and Mrs. Rhoades of Kinston.

Mr. Rhoades is a graduate of Elba High School and attended Auditorium High School for four years. He is presently in the Army, stationed at Fort Jackson, South Carolina.

The wedding will take place September 8 at 4 P.M. in the Westside Baptist Church of Elba. No formal invitations are being sent. All friends and relatives are invited.

Mrs. Bobby McIntosh was Mr. and Mrs. Flumoy White's knee surgery at Dothan Hospital and Mr. and Mrs. Eugene General Hospital Friday. Both have recovered from the operation. The last report was made by Dr. W. H. White, who stated that her condition was good. Mr. and Mrs. Brown were satisfactory.

Miss Winnie Brock returned to her home in Gadsden Friday after visiting in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George L. Collier, in Detroit, Michigan.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Branson and children, Alice, Bill, and son recently visited relatives in Nashville and vacationing in the mountains near Chattanooga, Tennessee and the Carolinas.

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**R** PHYSICIANS PRESCRIBE VACATIONS  
**V**

Most physicians feel that a change from the usual routine of everyday living conditions is very beneficial to a person's health. A vacation is usually suggested to allow your body to have physical and mental relaxation.

To insure a happy and healthy vacation you should see your physician for a health check-up. Let it be known that you spoil an enjoyable time for yourself to have a sufficient supply of any medicines which you may need for regular or emergency need.

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### Sewing Club Enjoys Covered Dish Supper

On a recent Tuesday night the Brantley Road Sewing Club members and their guests enjoyed their annual covered dish supper at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Bryan.

Members present were: Mrs. Flumoy Whitman, Mrs. T.T. Rhodes, Mrs. Wayland Bryan, Mrs. Dozier Bryan, Mrs. Crook, Mrs. Price Rice, and Mrs. George Wise. Guests were: Mr. Flumoy Whitman, Mr. Wayland Bryan, Mr. Dozier Bryan, Mr. George Wise, Mrs. Frances Faris, Mrs. Jim Whitman, and Mrs. Emory Corbitt.

Mr. G.L. Pinckard and Mrs. Russell Baxley, of Enterprise, were the hosts. Mr. W. T. Whitman, Sr., of Tuscumbia, Monday night following church services at the home of Mrs. Pinckard with a surprise birthday party.

Mr. Pinckard and Mr. Baxley greeted the guests and invited them to the patio which was well lighted and appropriately decorated. Mrs. Pinckard and Mrs. Miss Frances Conner, served sandwiches, cake, and punch.

Sharing this happy occasion with the guest-of-honor were: Mr. and Mrs. Jim Whitman, Mr. and Mrs. Flumoy Whitman, Mrs. Ben Conner, Mr. and Mrs. J.W. Kendrick, Mrs. Osswell Dowling, Reverend and Mrs. Eddie, Mr. and Mrs. Wade Sawyer, Mrs. Tullie Hogg, Steve, Jim, David and Jonathan Baxley, Lee Pinckard, and hostesses.

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Reverend and Mrs. Dick Hayes, and son, of Phenix City, Alabama, were guests of Mrs. Hayes' father, Mr. W.H. Hayes, and uncles, Mrs. Dave Yates, and Mrs. Logan Wallace, last week.

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Mr. and Mrs. Jack Dicker and children, Jack, and Jill, of Bundidge, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Will Kendrick Thursday night.

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Mrs. Alice Moody, and Roy Moody, of Montgomery, and Mrs. Lena B. Moody, of Chattanooga, Tennessee, visited Mrs. Sallie Wise Friday.

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Mrs. Kemitt Crook, Mrs. Joe Moore, Mrs. Conner Johnson, and Mrs. Sammie Johnson, attended a reunion of the Moore Family at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Porter Moore in Opelika.

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Mr. and Mrs. Billy Moore and Marcie have returned to their home in Decatur following a week's visit to their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J.D. Morrow and Mr. and Mrs. W.D. Moore.

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Mr. and Mrs. T. Hutchison have recently come from Enterprise to make their home in Elba. They are living in one of the Bullard Apartments.

They formerly lived in Elba, Georgia. His children, Dorrie, Gregg, and Stevie, returned home with him.

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Lawah Padgett, who is employed in Panama City this summer, recently visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Doc Padgett.

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Mr. and Mrs. Mike Morris and Marcie have returned to their home in Decatur following a week's visit to their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J.D. Morrow and Mr. and Mrs. W.D. Moore.

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Professor J.D. Whitman, Jr. has returned from Los Angeles, California, where he has been studying at the University of California. This summer, he and his wife, Mrs. Brown, were visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. H.H. Swain.

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Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Bullard and children, of Aberdeen, Mississippi, are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. H.H. Swain.

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Mr. and Mrs. Fox Brunson and Mr. and Mrs. Marion Brunson are visiting relatives and vacationing in Texas.

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Lavonda and Donnie Bowden, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Bowden, of Bristol, Tennessee, are visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Bowden.

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Mr. Eddie Tillman suffered a stroke Monday at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Gus Devane. As this is written, his condition remains serious.

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Mr. and Mrs. Grady Cannady, of Ashland, and Miss Pearl Peeler, of Dothan, were guests of Mrs. Georgia Mathis Sunday.

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Mrs. Sam Blue is visiting her son and wife, Doctor and Mrs. Fay Blue, in Lafayette, La.

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Mr. and Mrs. B.L. Cheney and children, Bill and Christopher, of Bethany, Conn., are visiting Mrs. Cheney's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Clark.

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Mrs. T.D. Kendrick, Mrs. Willard Martin, Miss Edwin Dozier, and Mrs. Paul Monroe went to Montgomery Thursday to attend a bridal shower for Mrs. Mary Jo Purvis, who before her recent marriage was Miss Mary Jo Purvis.

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Mrs. Tom Beale, Tommy and Jamie, of Mobile, were weekend guests of Mrs. Beale's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J.D. Whitman.

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Planning a ham dinner soon? Onion-Mustard Muffins are a perfect "go-with." Stir 1/3 cup chopped onion and 1 tablespoon dry mustard into dry ingredients for your favorite corn muffins. And be sure to make the corn muffins the convenient self-rising corn meal way.

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Mrs. Ann Phelps and son, of Lake Wales, Florida, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A.D. Fuller.

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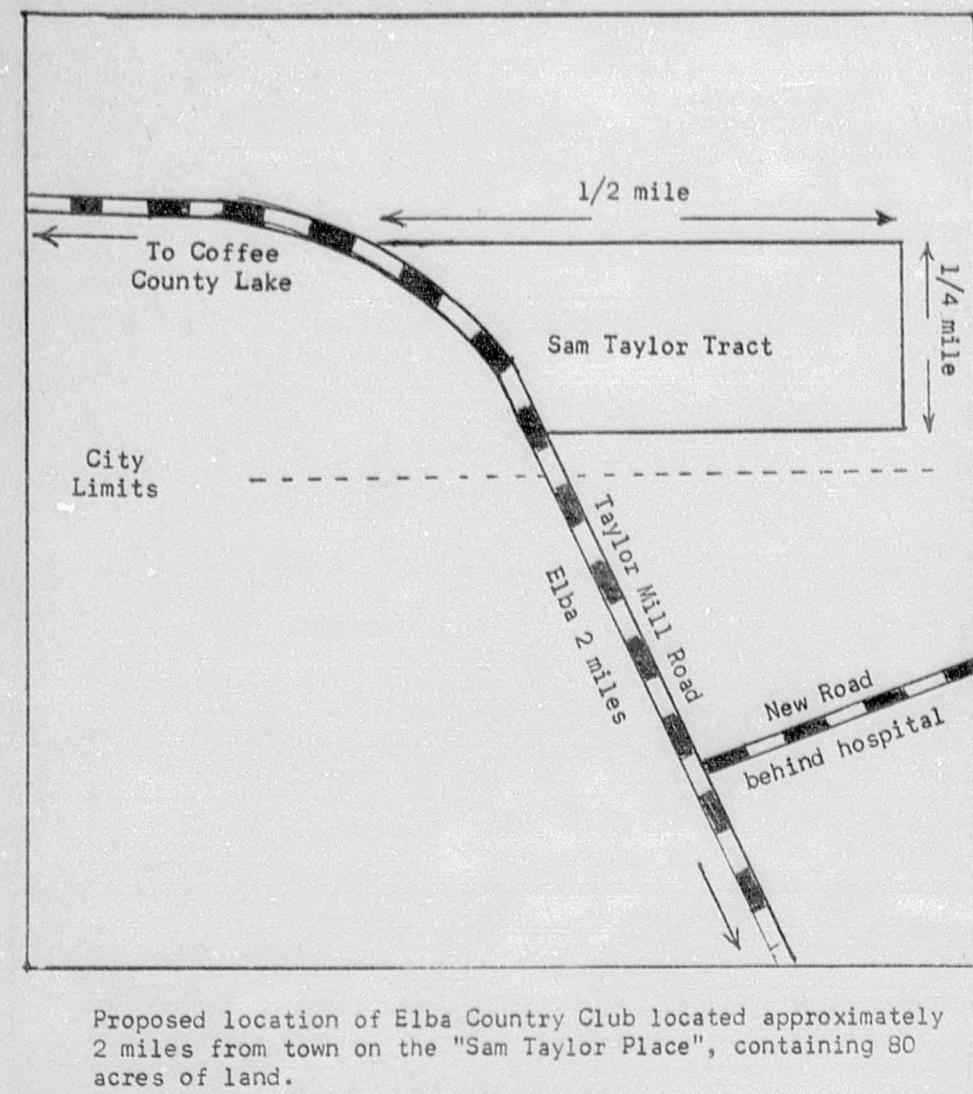
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**University Hospital  
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Receives Reaccreditation**

**Coffee Clubs To Show, Sell Beef Calves In 1964**

The University Hospital School of Nursing has received reaccreditation for a three year period ending in 1966 according to an announcement by Matthew F. McNulty, Jr., Hospital Administrator.

The School of Nursing which currently has 116 students, 213 students is the largest three-year diploma program in the state. The University Hospital also offers clinical experience to nursing students of the University of Alabama for their senior year.

In commenting on the re-accreditation of the program, Mr. McNulty spoke of "the unlimited opportunities for behind this program. Lashley states that it is going to be emphasized."

This fall and sale will also be held in conjunction with the annual spring cattlemen's sale to announced later.

Mr. and Mrs. W.H. Taylor attended the Circle M Polled Hereford Sale in Seminole, Mississippi Monday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Billy Oswald and little son Billy Claude, Jr., of Kenosha, Wisconsin, spent last week with Mrs. Oswald's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Murphy Cox.

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When freezing foods at home, use a container with a wide top opening. This makes it easier to remove the food before it has thawed completely.

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# The Elba Clipper

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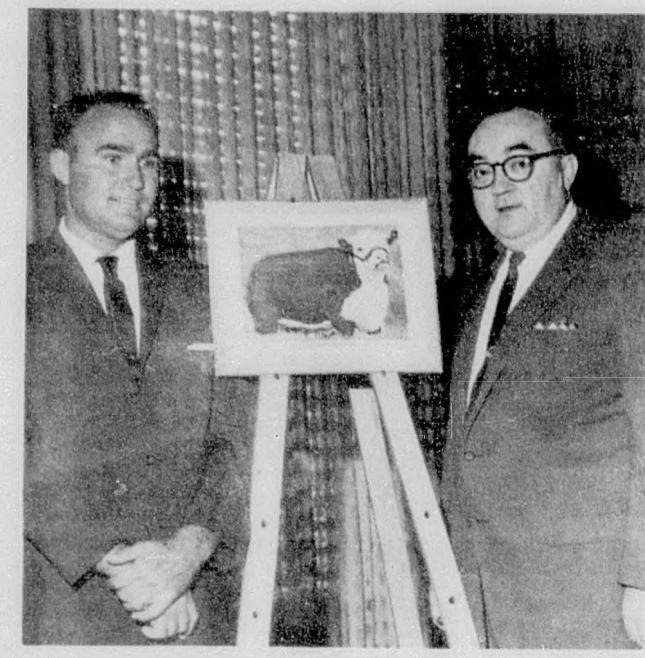
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## First Babies Born At Elba General Hospital This Week



MR. AND MRS. ALVIN RATCLIFF, of Enterprise, were the proud parents of the second baby to arrive after the opening of the Elba General Hospital. A boy, born August 15 at 6:20 P.M., he weighed seven and one-half pounds and was named Joseph Michael. This is the eighth child for Mr. and Mrs. Ratcliff, two girls and six boys, the oldest eight years of age. Ratcliff is an aircraft mechanic at Fort Rucker, a position he has held for six years. They reside on Route 1, Enterprise.

## OFFICE SUPPLIES



W. H. TAYLOR, left and Tine W. Davis, president of the Alabama Polled Hereford Association, at the Board of Directors Annual Planning Session recently in Montgomery. Mr. Taylor was elected president for the year. Membership sales were also approved: The Fall Bull Sale in November - The Fourteenth Annual Show and Sale, both in Montgomery, and a Spring Round-Up Sale to be held in Cullman in April, 1964.

## Kinston Farmers Enjoy 4-Day Education Tour Covering Four States

Accompanied By

F. W. Wood, Kinston

Vo-Ag Teacher

Eight farmers of the Kinston area along with F. W. Wood, local vocational agriculture teacher, have recently returned from a four day educational tour. The tour included visits to experimental stations, state docks, industrial plants, two state capitols, outstanding farms, and points of historical interest.

A group pictures were taken and a devotional by Reverend Albert Glass, the tour started at 6:30 A.M. Monday, July 29. The Kinston FFA chapter has been invited and with some of the seats taken on there was plenty of room for luggage, camping equipment, and cameras.

The first stop was made at Jay and Company where Doctor Curtis Hutton, vice-director in charge of the West Florida Experiment Station conducted the visitors on a tour of the experimental work.

The national champion Hereford bull was seen on the Rogen Ranch at Morton, Mississippi. This bull cost Rogen \$102,000. Beef cattle is a new enterprise the ranch as broiler production is

loaded. A sailor from a Belgium ship gave a letter to a member of the group and asked that it be mailed to his country. A state yacht, now a patrol boat, was tied-up behind the docks Administration Building.

Many miles of the scenic roads had been seen in South Mississippi.

At Baton Rouge, Louisiana the group was met at the state capitol by Jimmy Dillon, former native of Elba, who now with the local Chamber of Commerce, went with the men to see the capitol, LSU, and the Humble Oil and Refining Company.

Colored teachers who were in school are: Virgil Coleman, Jessie Coleman, and Betty Jean Page.

An annual Sing to Be Held Sunday At Woodland Grove

The annual 7-shape sing will be held at the Woodland Grove Church Sunday, August 18. The Coffee County Singing Society will meet with them on that date.

Dinner will be served at the church at the noon hour. The public is invited. The singers will begin gathering at 4:30 P.M. and the singing gets underway at 10 o'clock.

Heart disease among members of the U.S. work force cost the nation more than \$4 billion in one year.

## THE ELBA CLIPPER

FIRST BABY BORN at the new Elba General Hospital was to Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Davis, who reside on Ann Street. This was the second arrival at the hospital, a girl, Jennifer Leigh, and weighed five pounds and fifteen ounces. Jennifer Leigh is the fourth child for Mr. and Mrs. Davis, two boys and two girls. She arrived August 18 at 11:06 P.M. Davis is an electric welder at Dorsey Trailers.

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## Hill Dedicates Elba's New Hospital, Lauds Medical Research

### Patients Flock To New, Modern Med Facilities

Approximately 2,000 persons visited the new Elba General Hospital on its dedication Sunday afternoon, in spite of the rainy weather. Because of the rain and the crowded condition of the hospital many visitors failed to register in the guest book.

Because of the weather the program was interfered with and the dedication program was delayed. However, the program was getting started with several features of the program being eliminated because of the rains. The cutting of the ribbon preceded Senator Lester Hill's speech.

Visitors began arriving an hour before the scheduled dedication program and continued to visit the hospital several hours following the delayed program. Many predict that except for the rain at least another thousand persons would have visited the hospital during the afternoon.

Money provided under the Hill-Boneau Act totaled \$200,000 with the city's share \$225,000 and the state contributing \$54,000.

Senator Hill pointed out that medical research is more important than medical research since we must find the cause for our people being made sick." He pointed out that through medical research the life span has been extended from 49 years to 70 years, and that many diseases which caused early deaths had been eliminated.

J. M. Garrett, senior citizen of Elba, was given the honor of cutting the ribbon.

Elba has four good doctors

### Country Club Idea Progressing, Says Committee

### McLendon Motion Picture Chain Buys Elba Theatre

The Fred T. McLendon is an integral part of the community, with home offices in Union Springs, Alabama, and has proved to be one of the most understanding meetings since this country club idea was proposed by the Elba Chamber of Commerce.

The first post committee reported that a survey was made of the pond site and it was determined that a ten acre pond could be constructed on the pond site and being coordinated with other committees to determine the exact location of the dam.

The post committee presented a formal plan to the land with the proposed fairways for the golf course. The golf course will be a regular nine hole course. The golf house will be built on the hill overlooking the lake. Plans are continuing as to the size, location, and facilities.

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### Flag Ceremony Slated At Hospital Sunday Morning

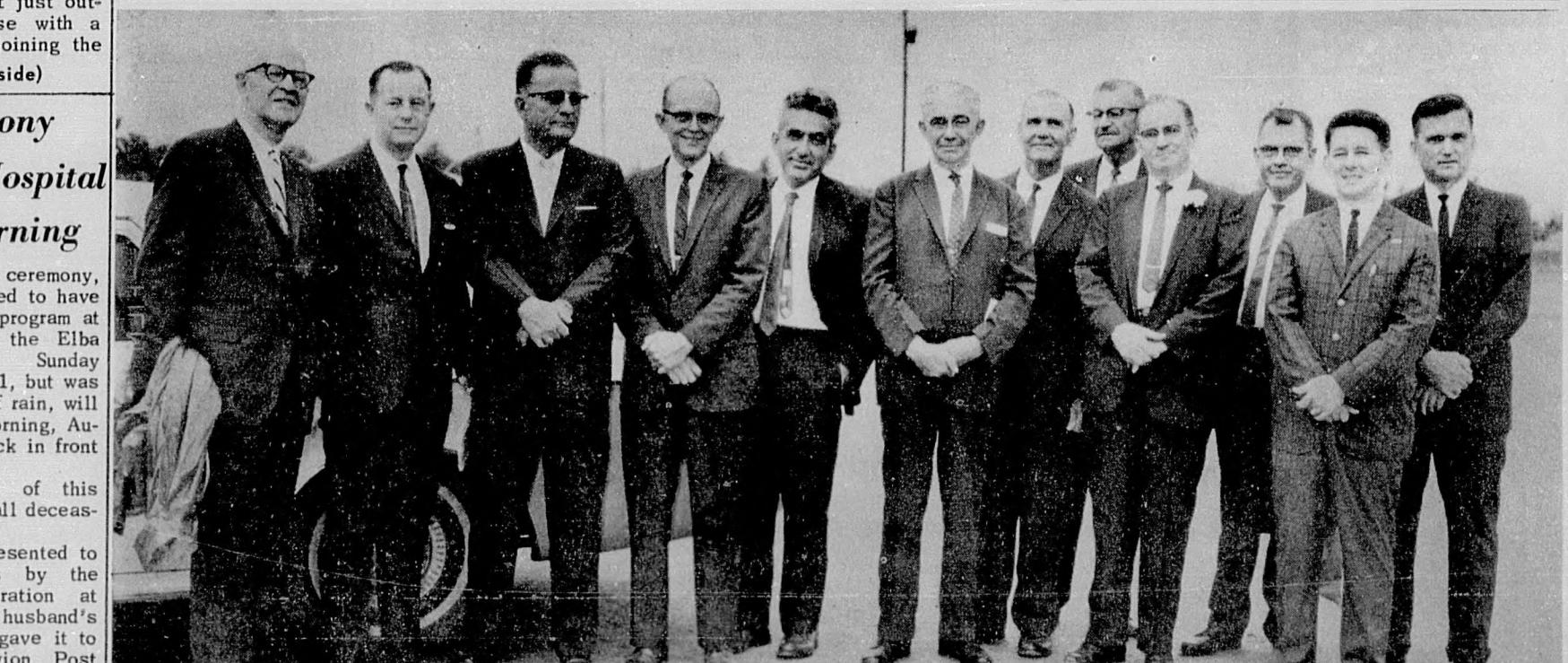
The flag raising ceremony, which was scheduled to have been a part of the program at the dedication of the Elba General Hospital Sunday afternoon, August 11, was canceled because of rain, will be held Sunday morning, August 25, at 9 o'clock in front of the hospital.

The presentation of this flag is in honor of all deceased veterans.

This flag was presented to Jim Hill, chairman of the Veterans Administration at the time of her husband's death. She in turn gave it to the American Legion Post No. 42.

The Post has installed the flag pole on the hospital grounds and at this ceremony will present the flag to the Legion.

All Legionaries are asked to be present and wear their Legion caps.



AMONG THOSE ATTENDING THE DEDICATION OF THE ELBA GENERAL HOSPITAL Sunday in Elba included, left to right: Senator Lester Hill, of Washington, D.C.; Doctor Paul O'Neill, Carlisle Buffalo, Joe Ban-

croft, and Seymour Greenstein, of Flora, John F. Bauson, and Flora Whiteman, of Elba; Doctor E.L. Gibson, of Enterprise; Doctor J. M. Kinney, of Elba; Doctor Branson, Doctor James F. Stanley, and Doctor Herbert Gibson, of Enterprise.

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